

APPARATUS FOR METHOD OF RECORDING A LOCATION OF AN
OBJECT HAVING AN EXTERNALLY VIEWABLE IDENTIFIER

ABSTRACT

5 An apparatus for a method of recording a location
of an object having an externally viewable identifier
includes a camera for capturing an image of the object
identifier and a computer connected to the camera for
receiving and processing the object image to identify
characters of the object identifier. A locator
provides an indication of the location of the object.
Means are provided for outputting information,
including the characters of the object identifier and
10 the indication of the object location. The outputted
information can be stored in a computer database for
subsequent determination of the location of the
object. The apparatus can be mounted on a vehicle for
enhanced mobility.

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